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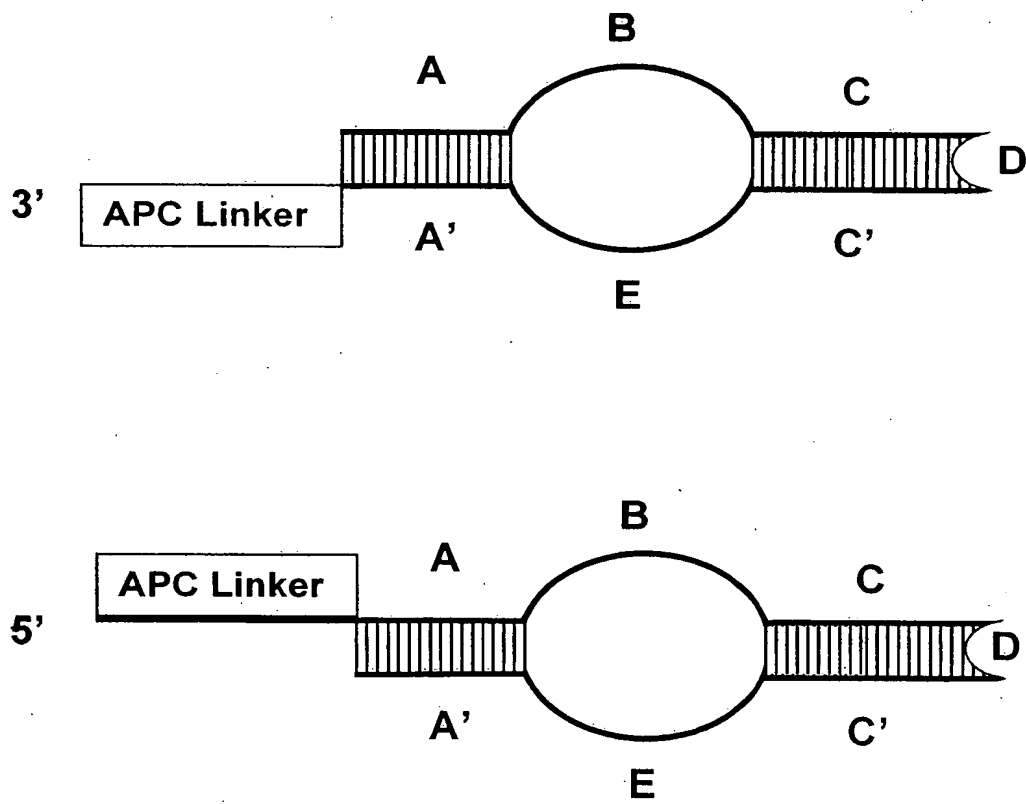


FIGURE 1

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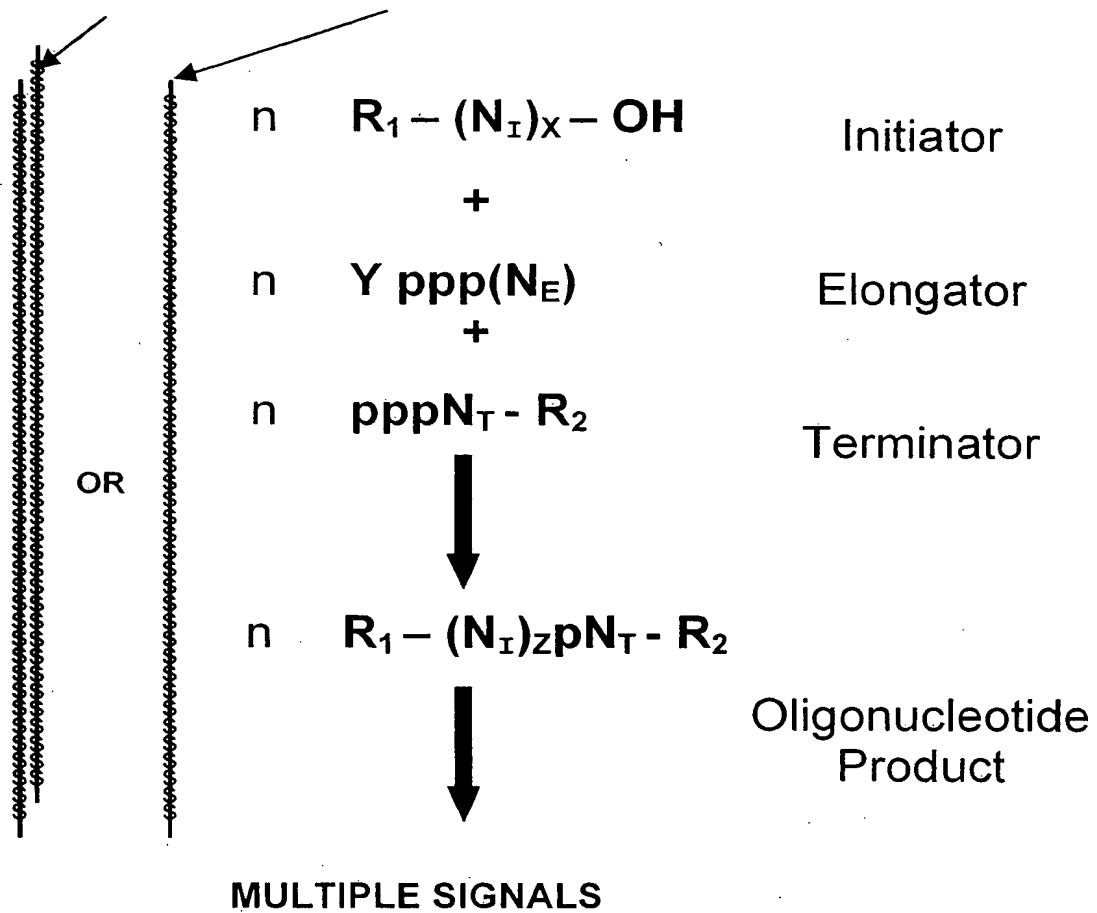


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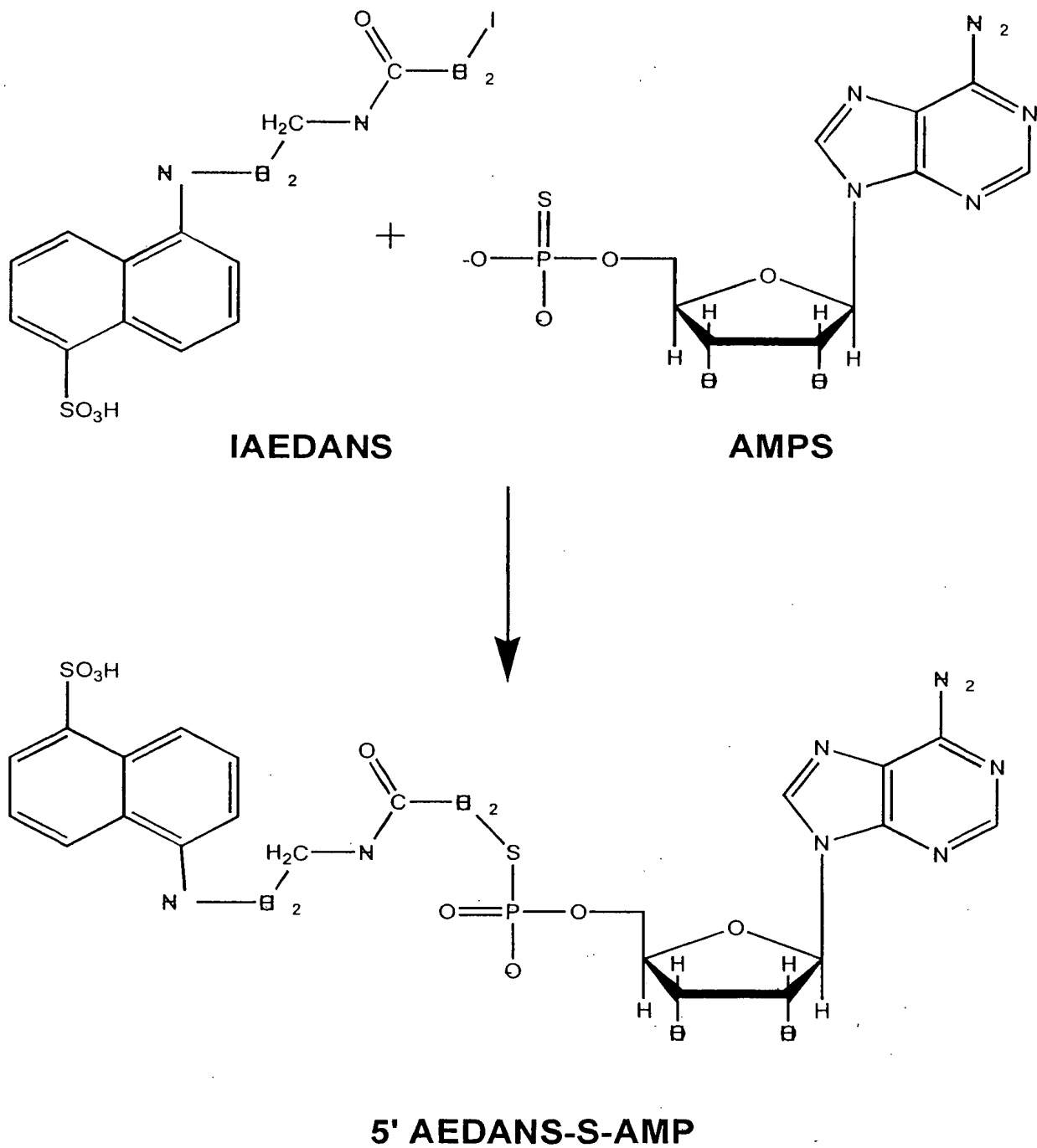
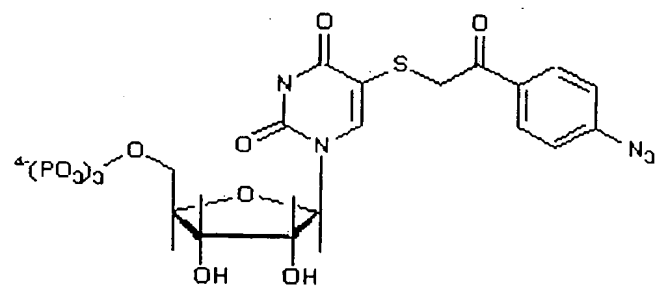
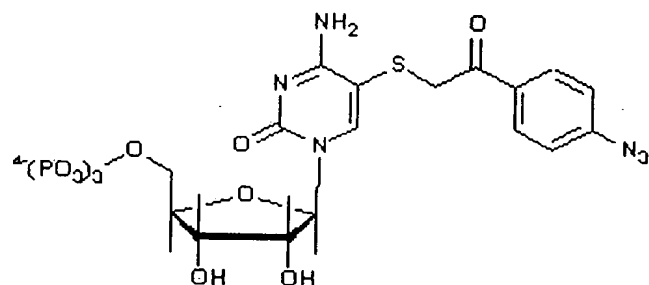


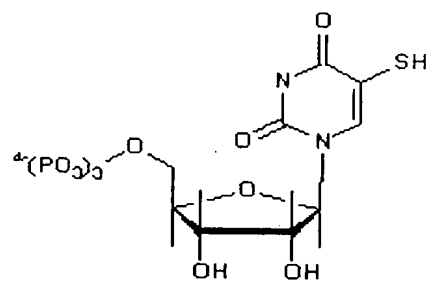
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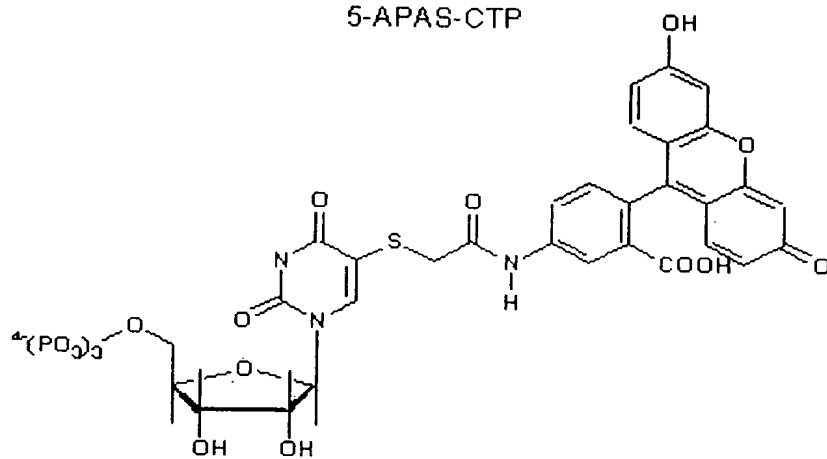
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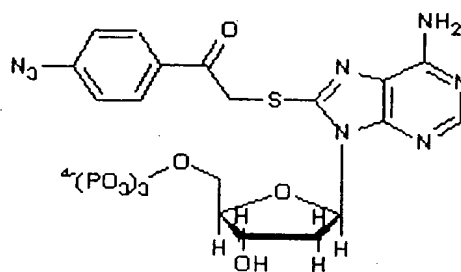
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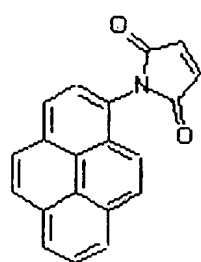


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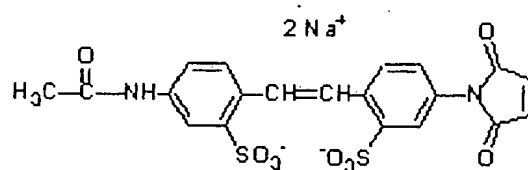


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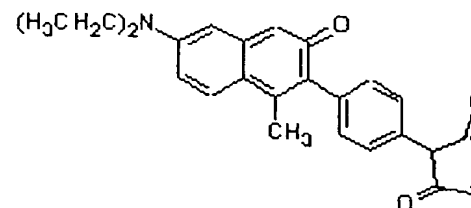
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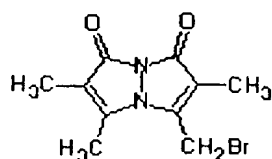
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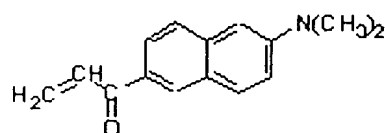
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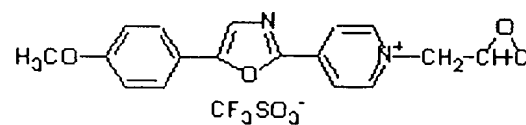
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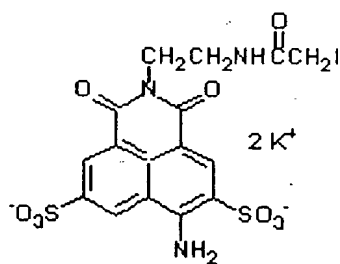
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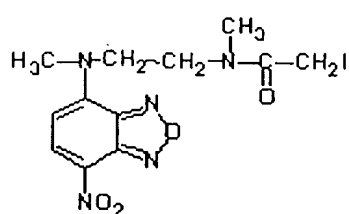
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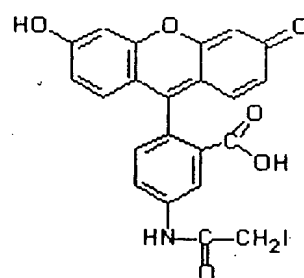
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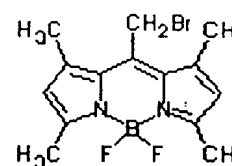
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NBD



fluorescein



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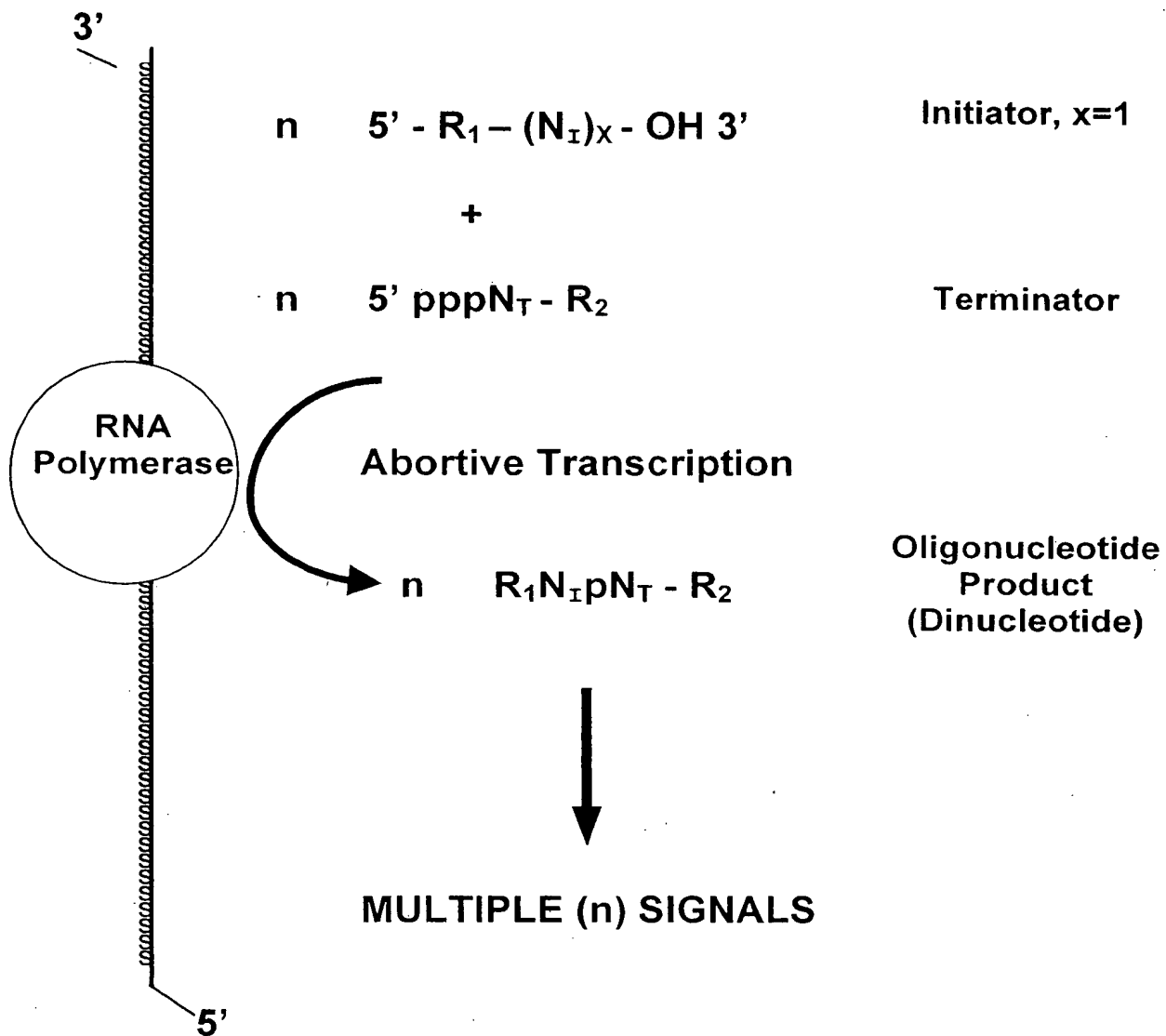


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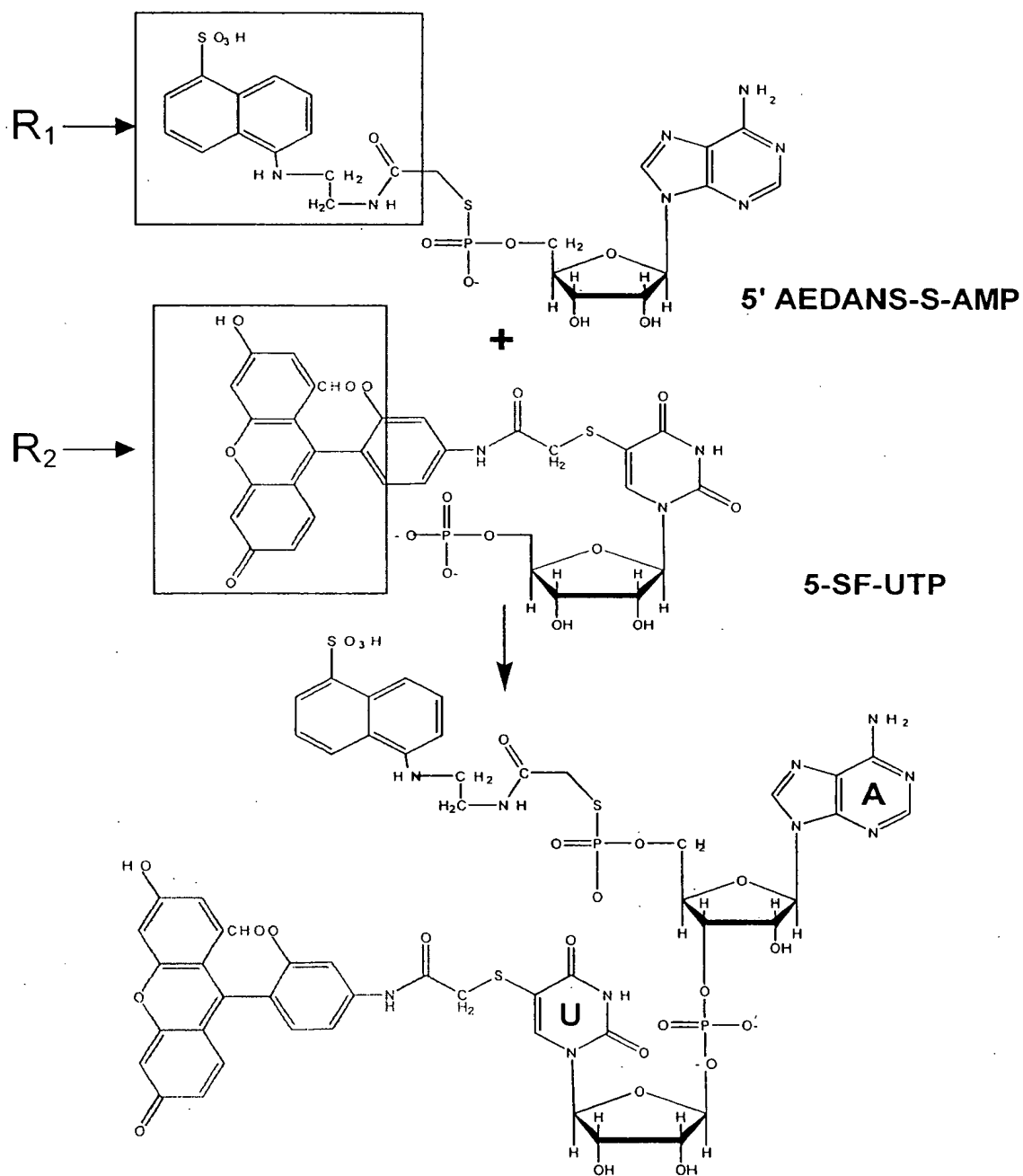


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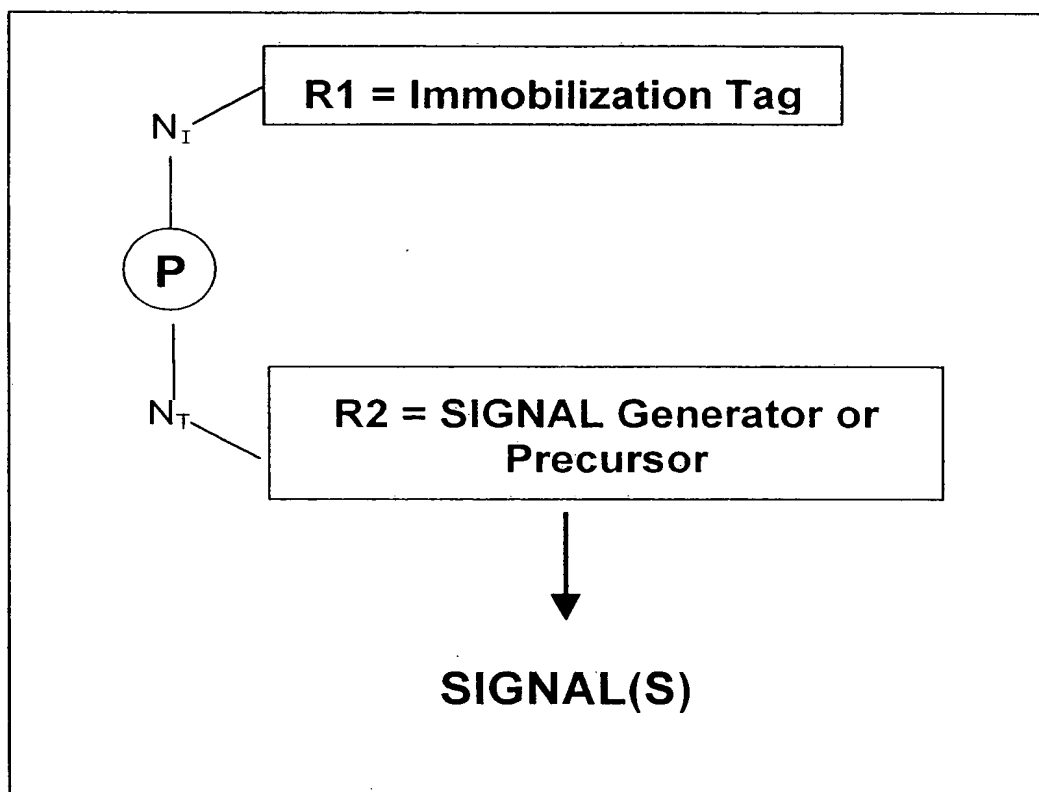


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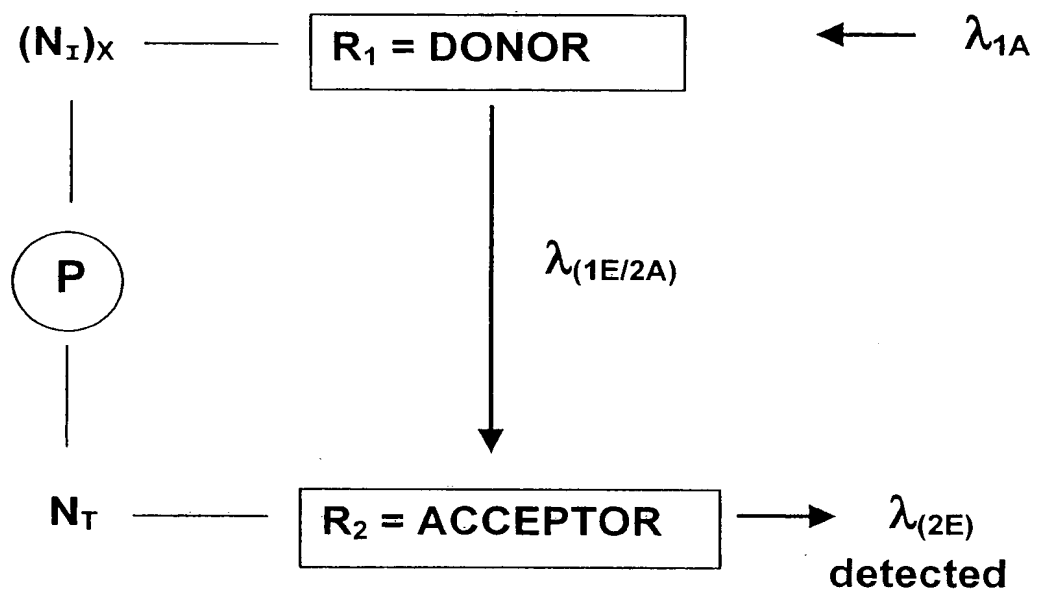


FIGURE 9

n $R_1N_1pN_2R_2-OH$

+

n $pppN_3R_3$



n $R_1N_1pN_2R_2pN_3R_3$

where N_3 is a terminator

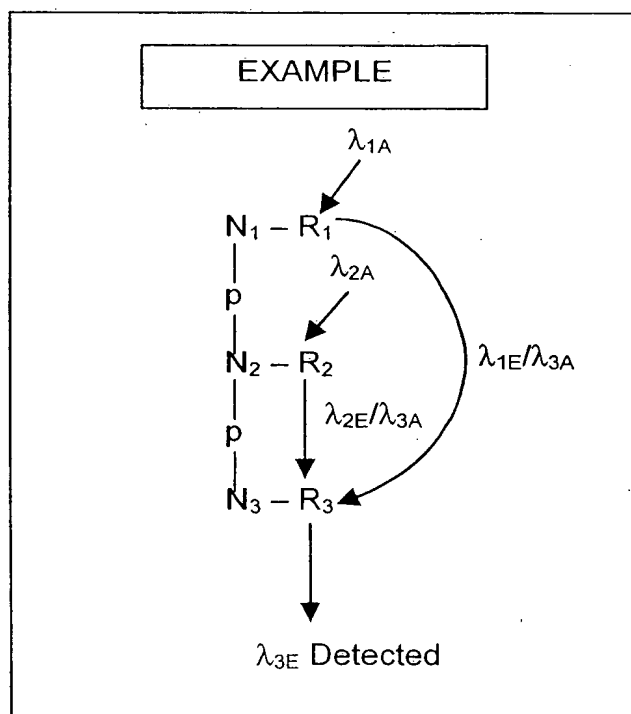


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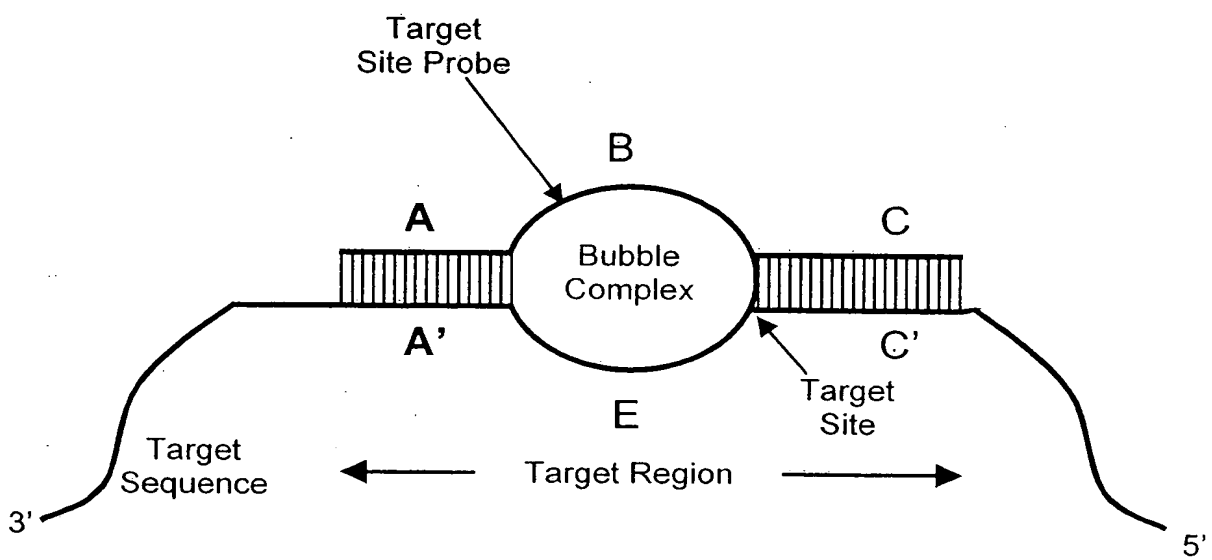


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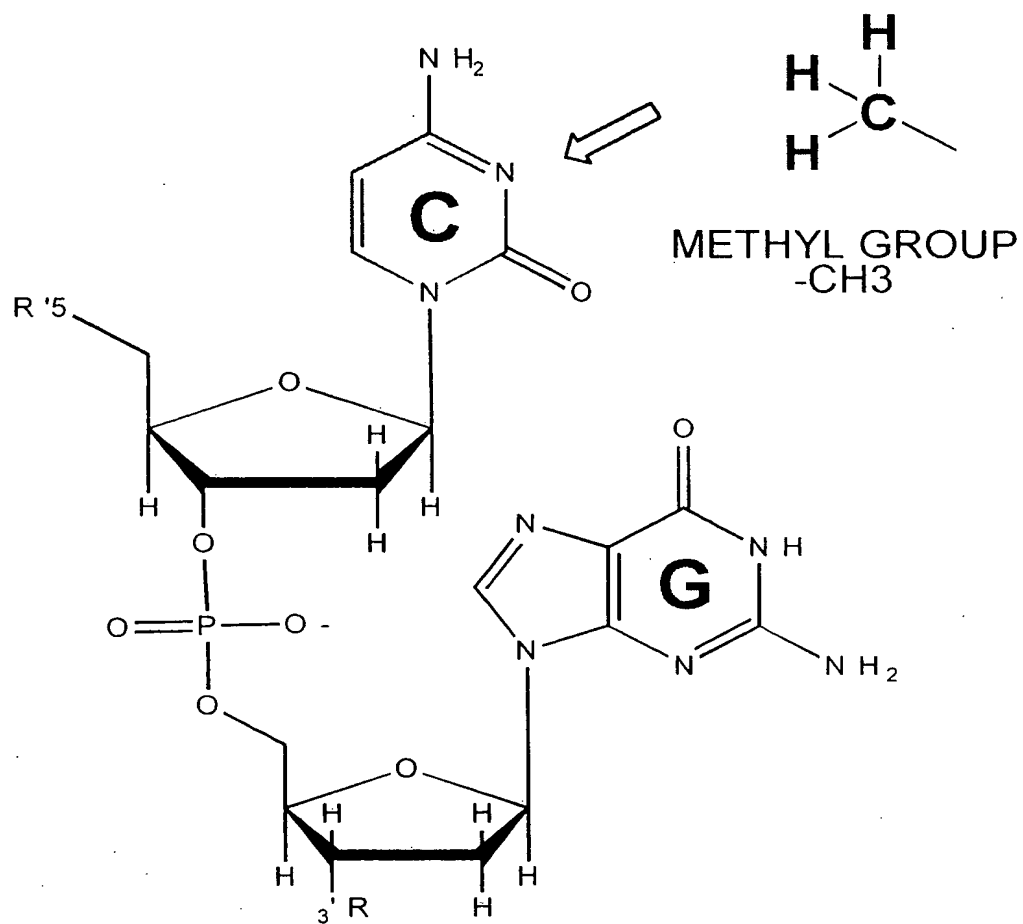


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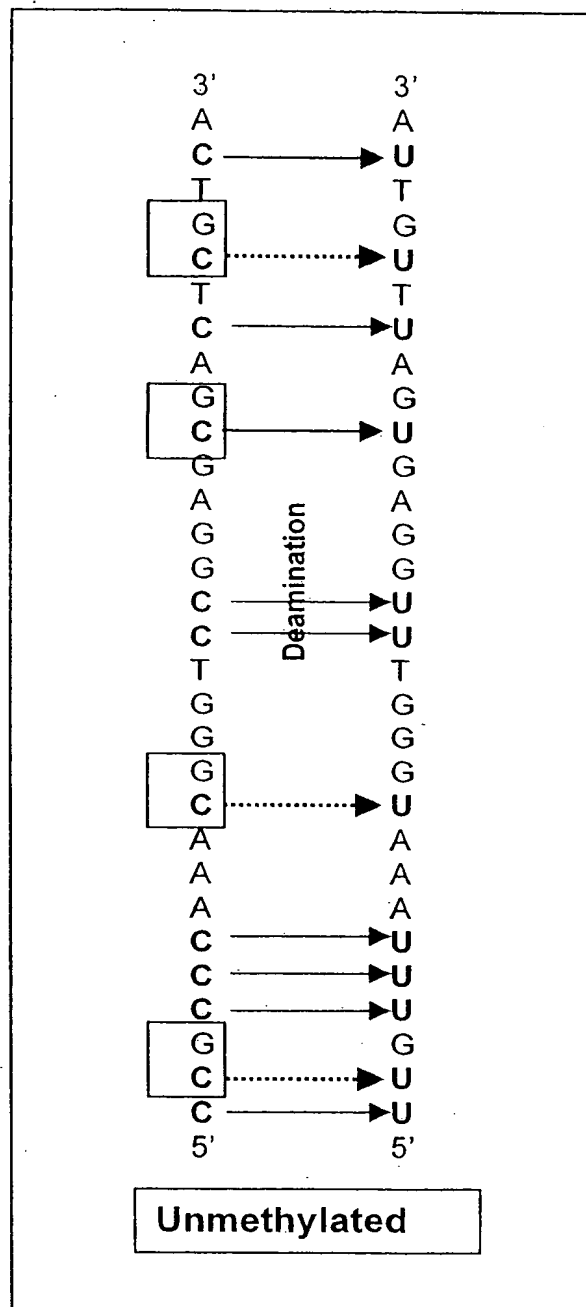
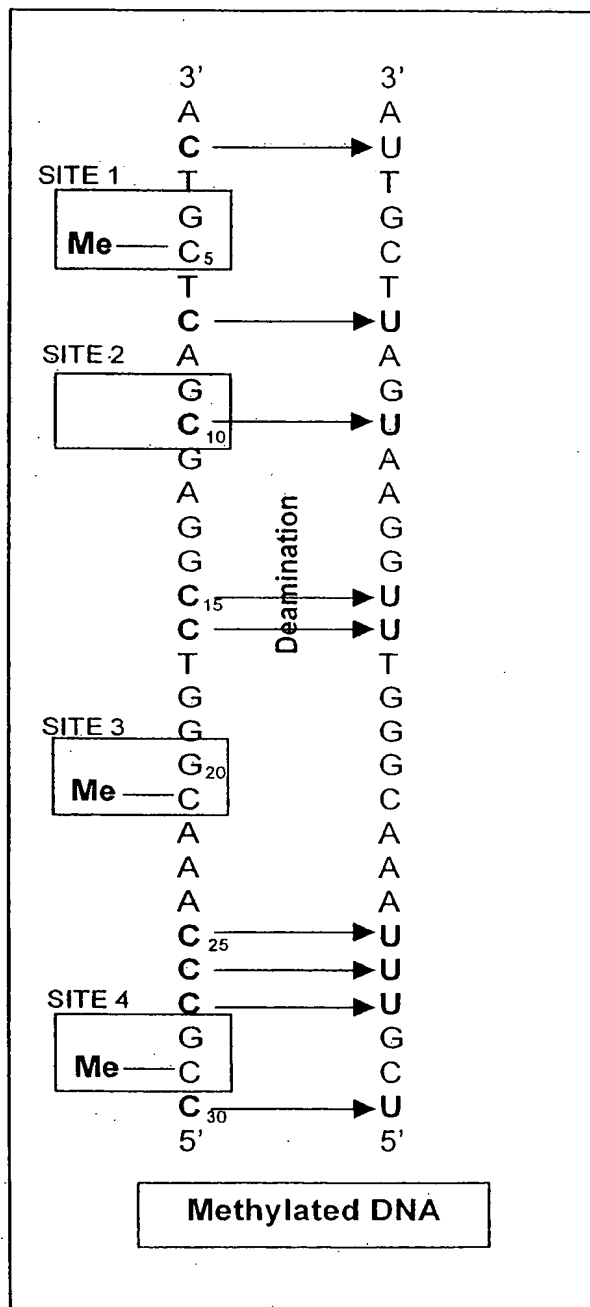


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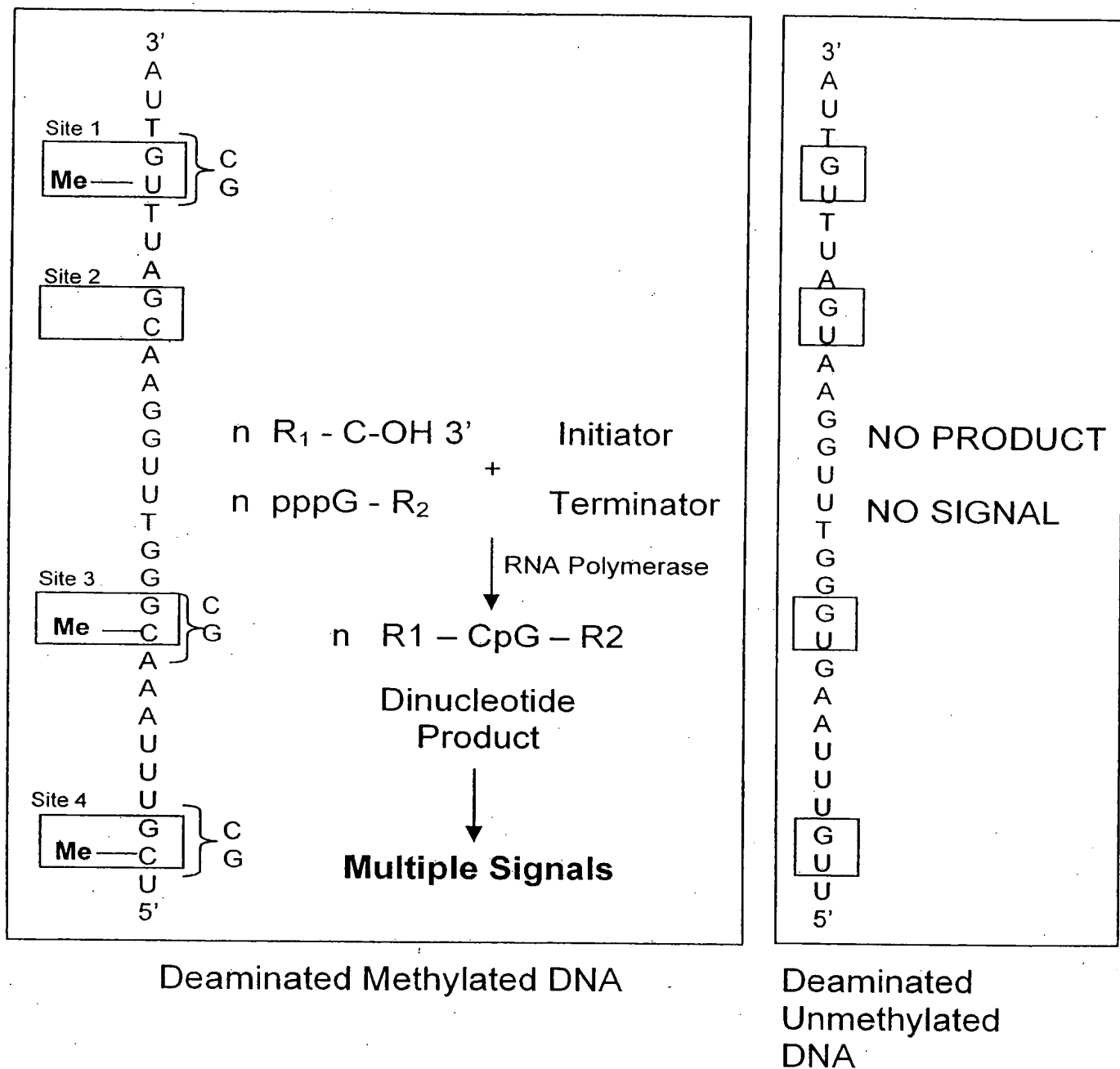


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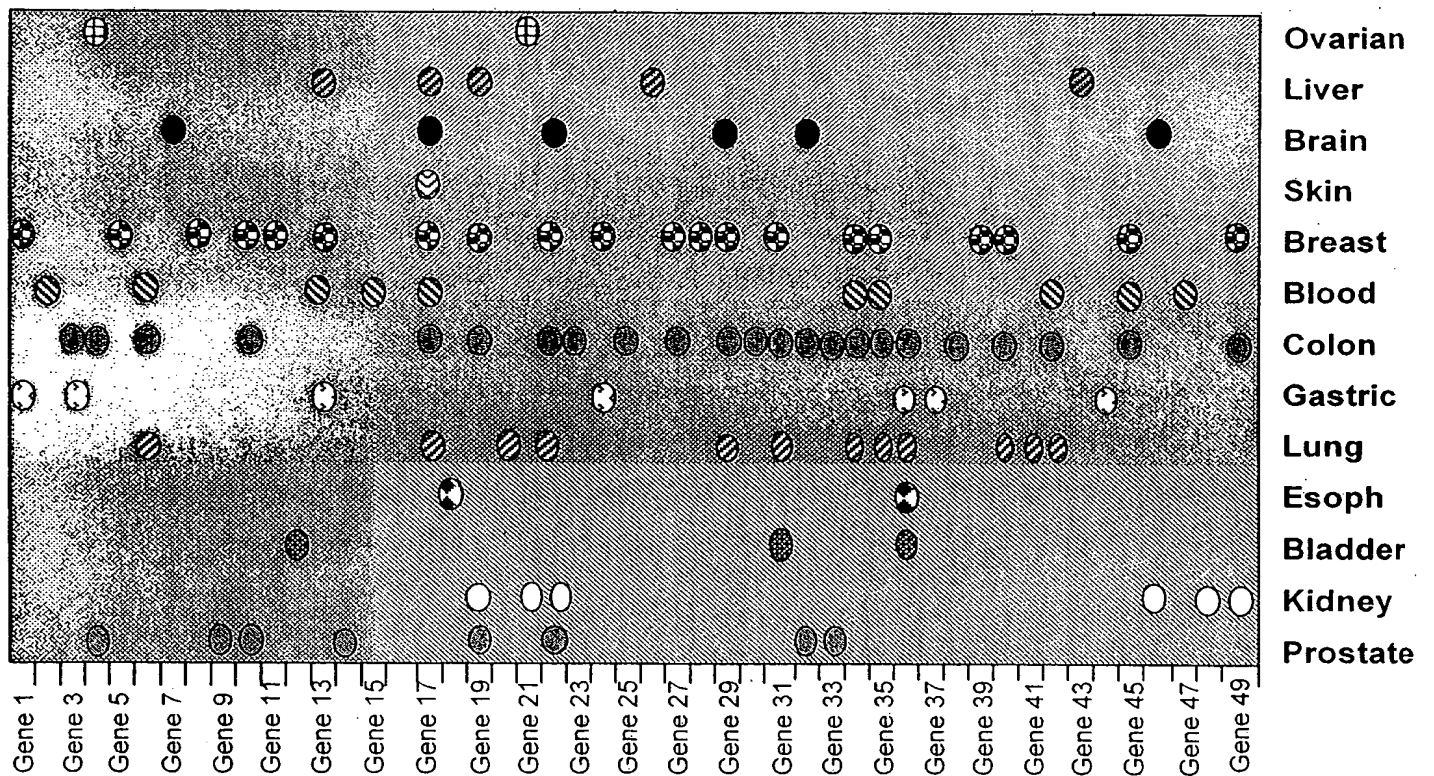


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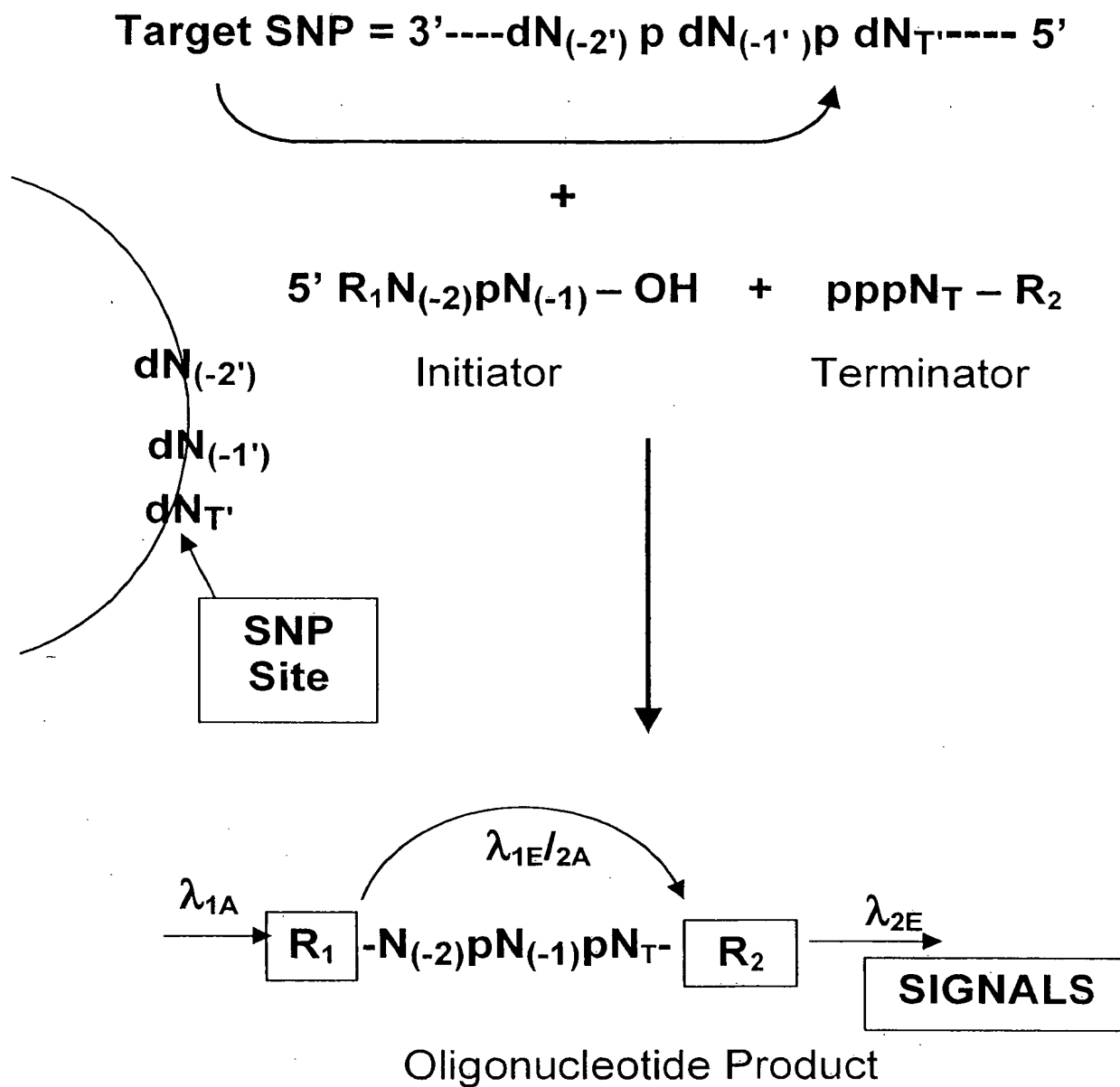


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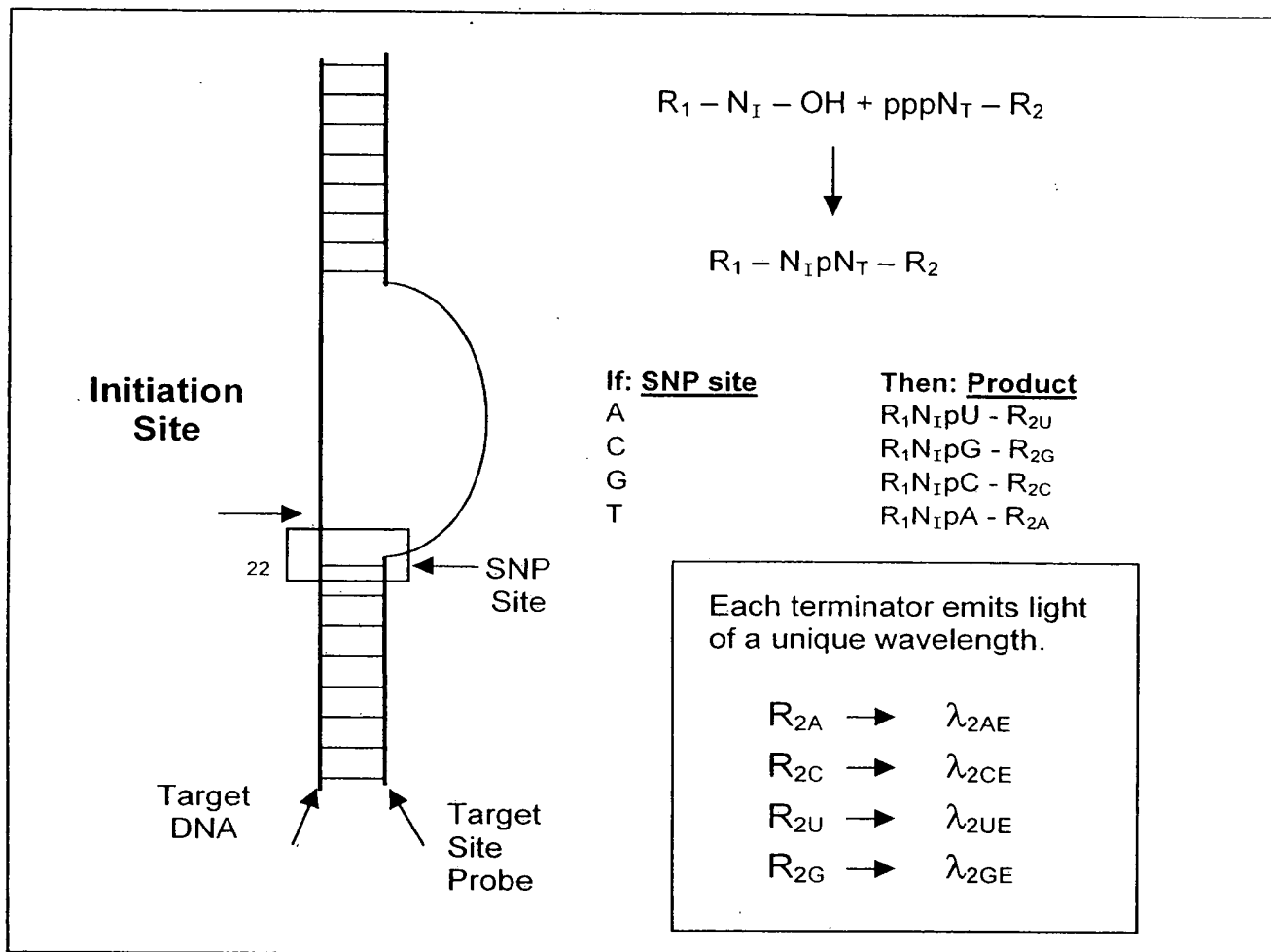


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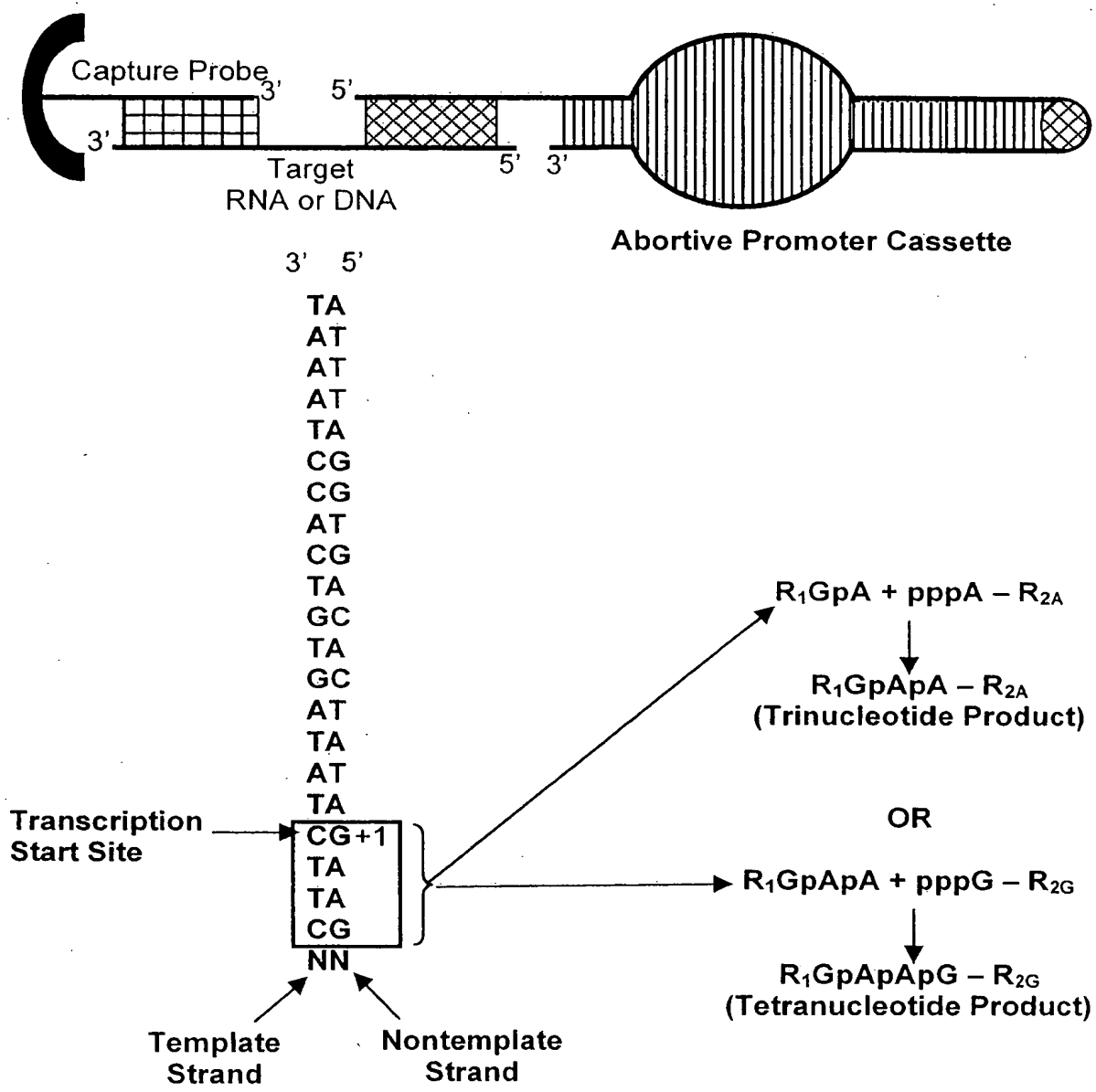


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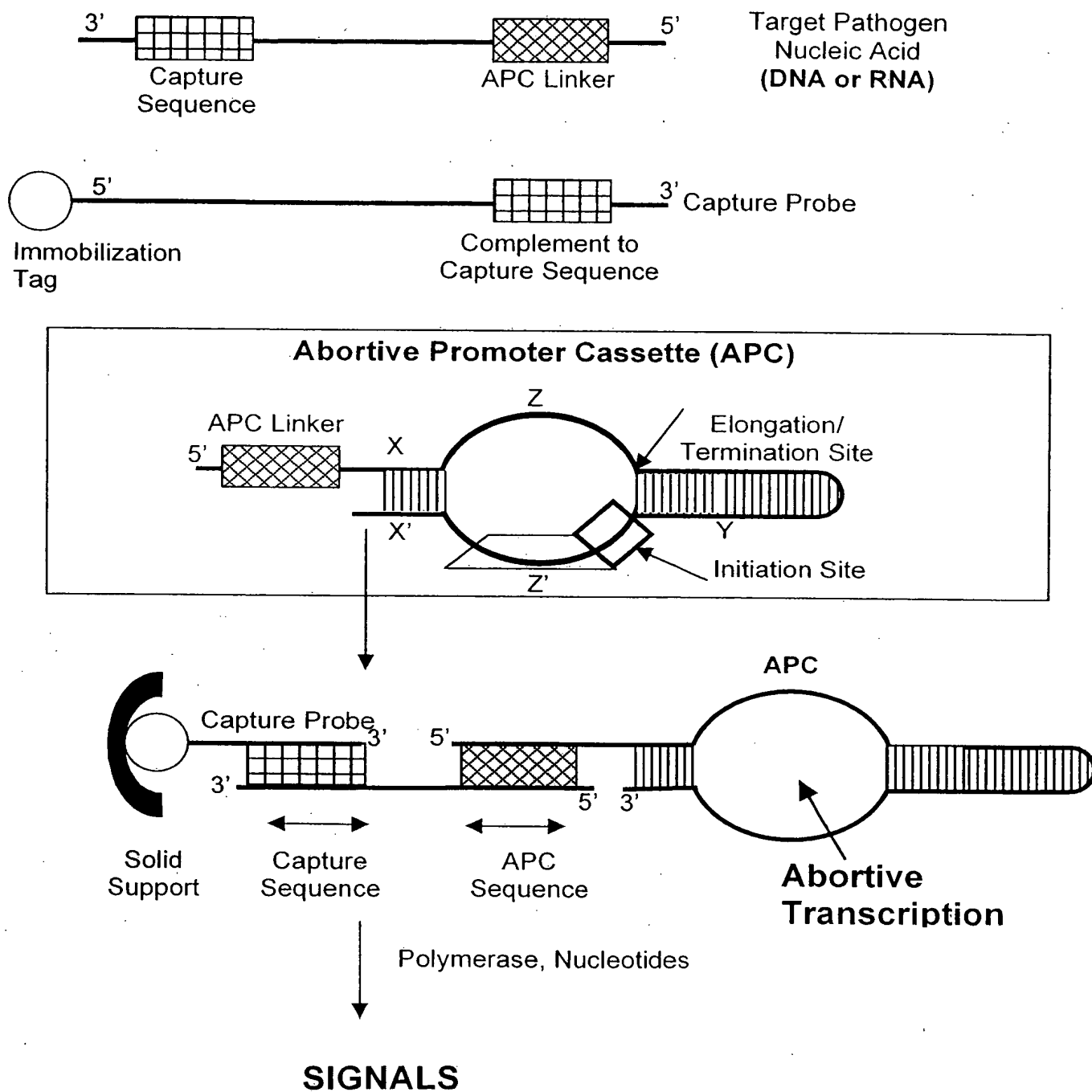


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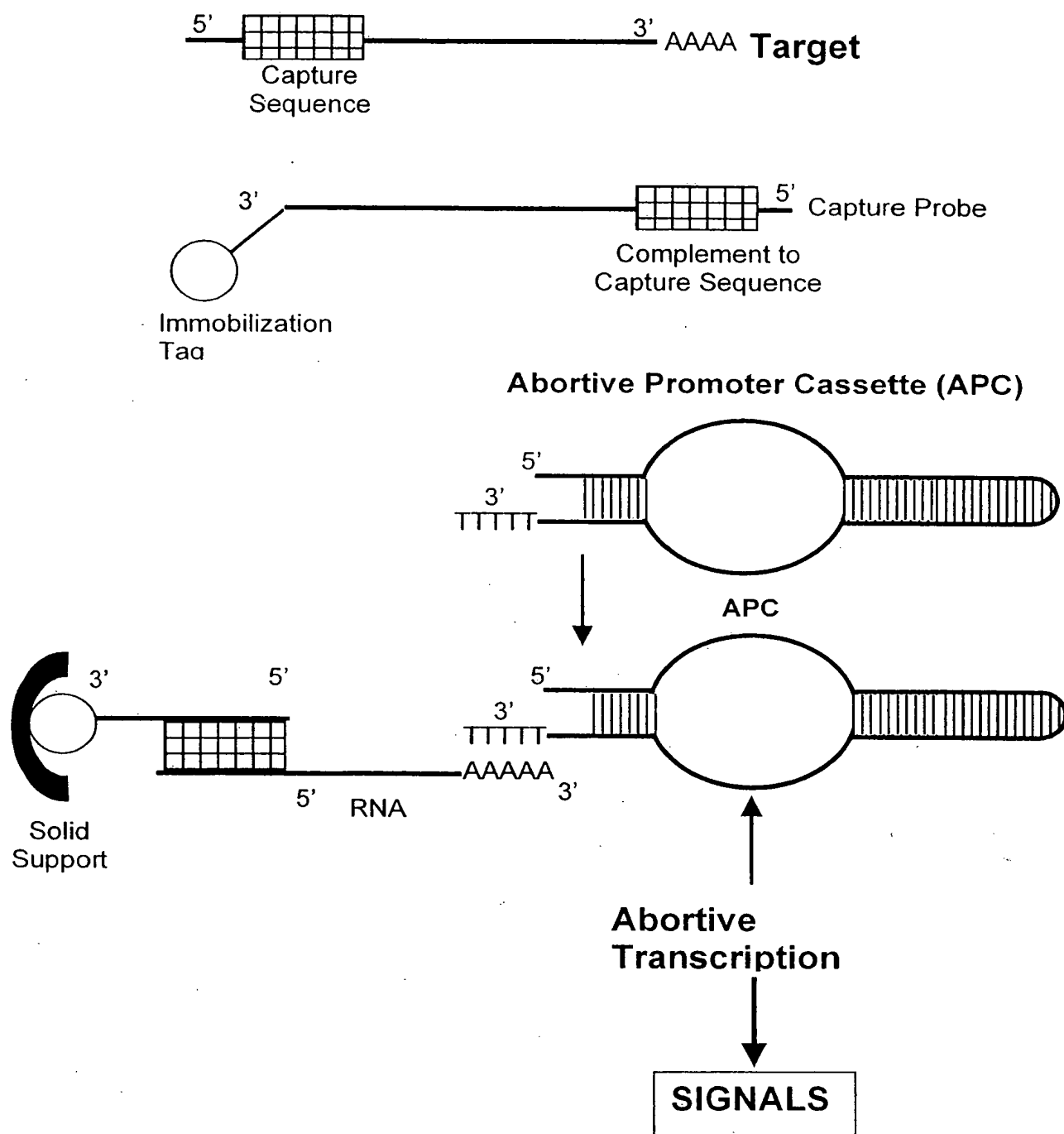


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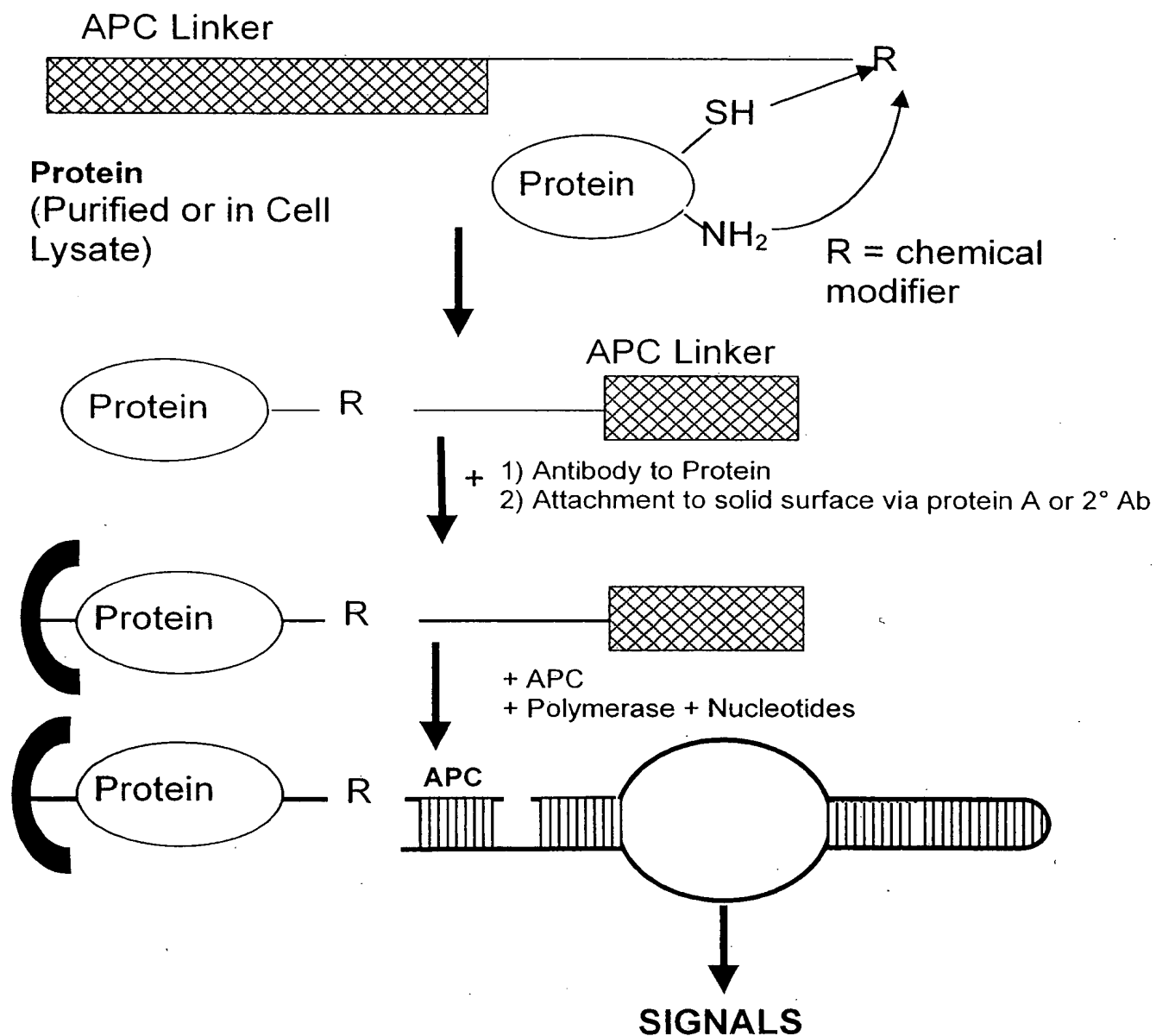


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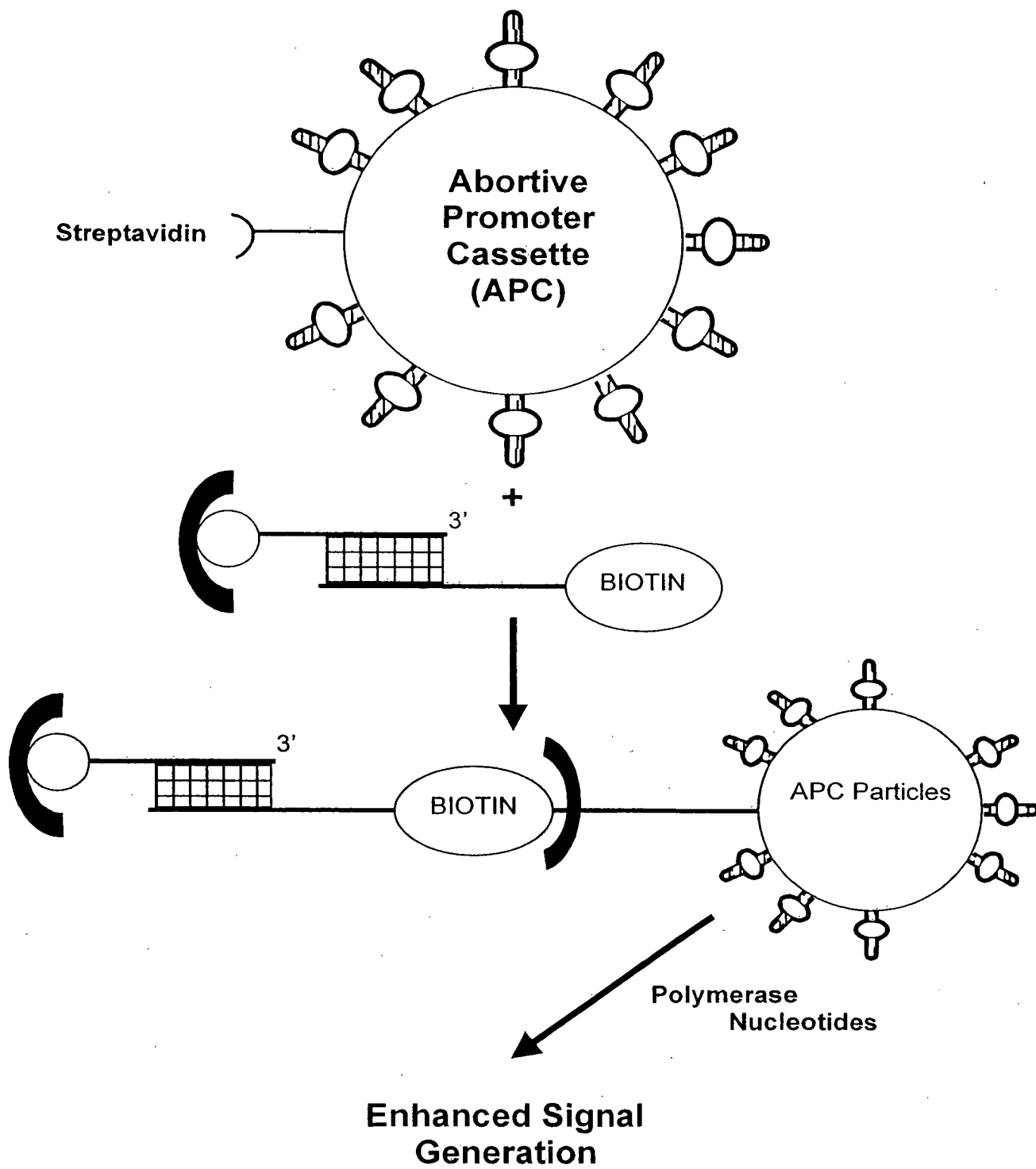


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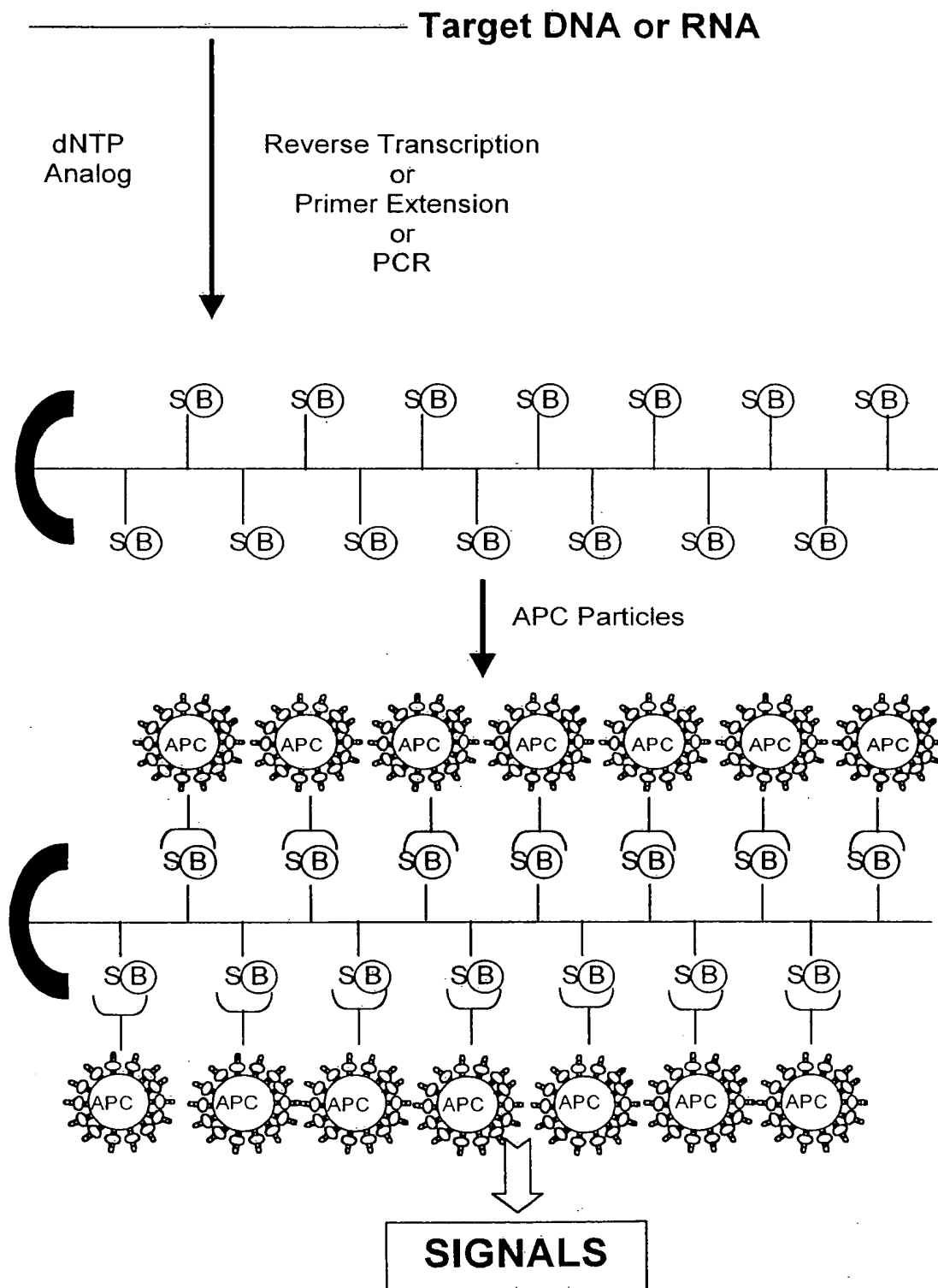


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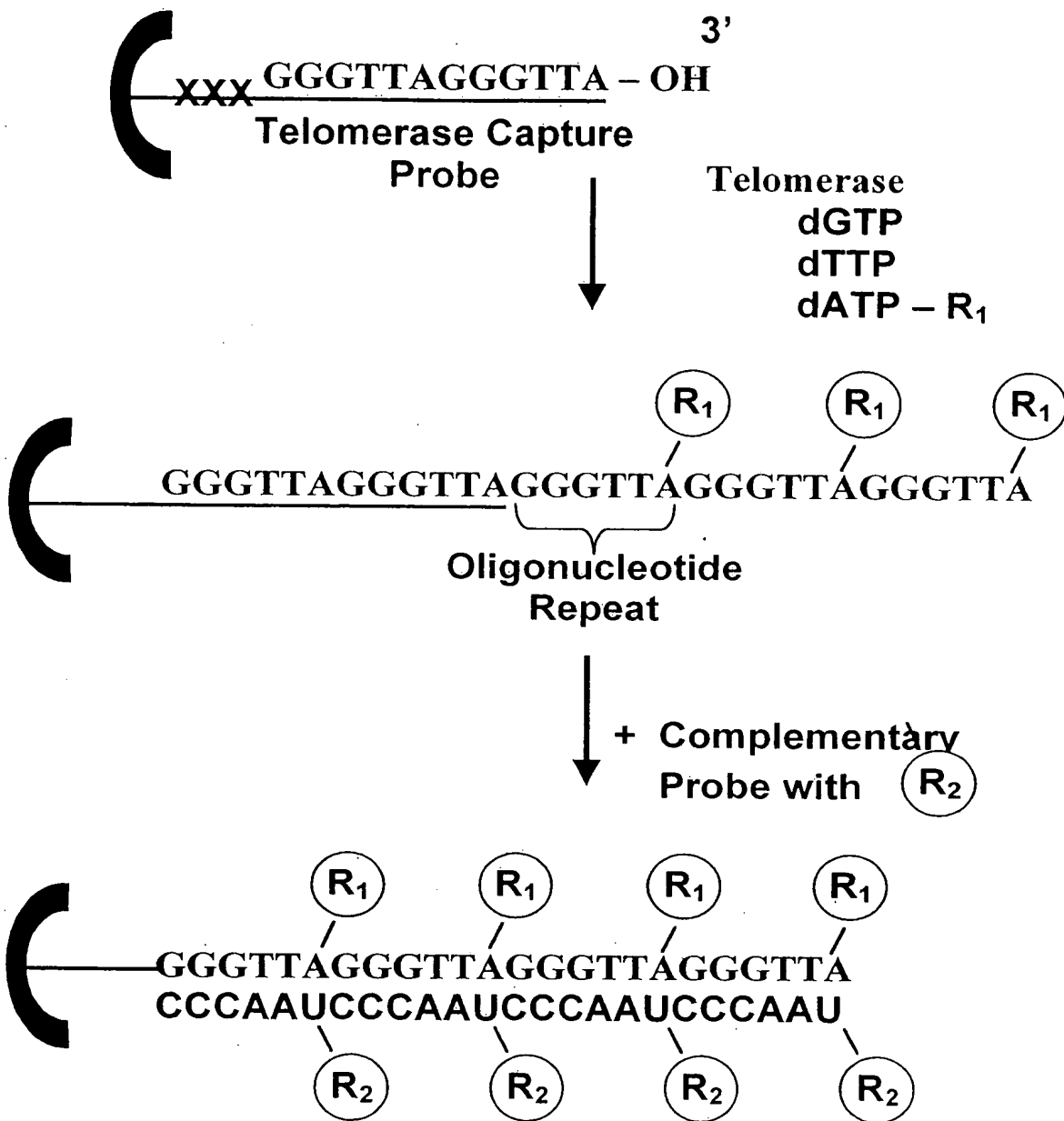


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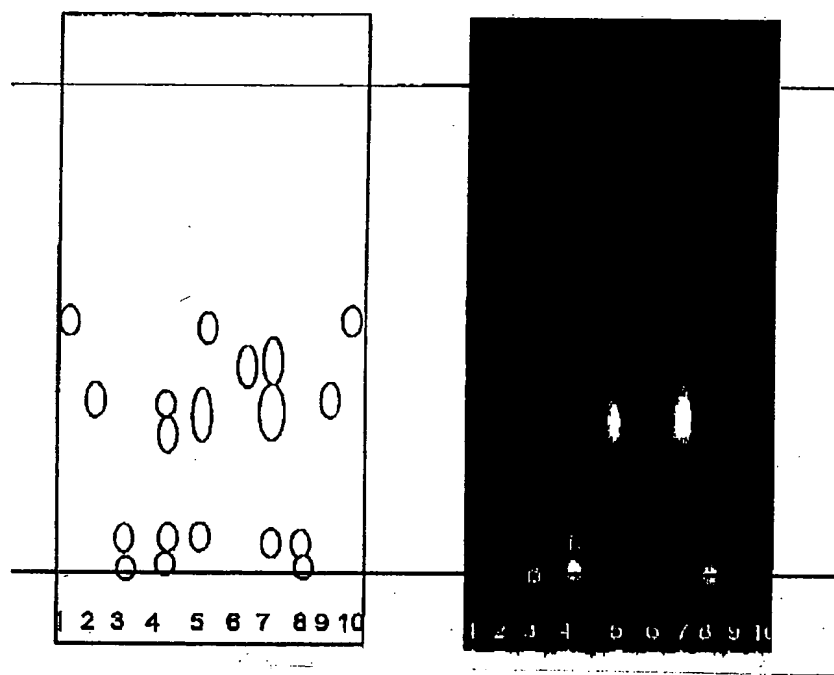


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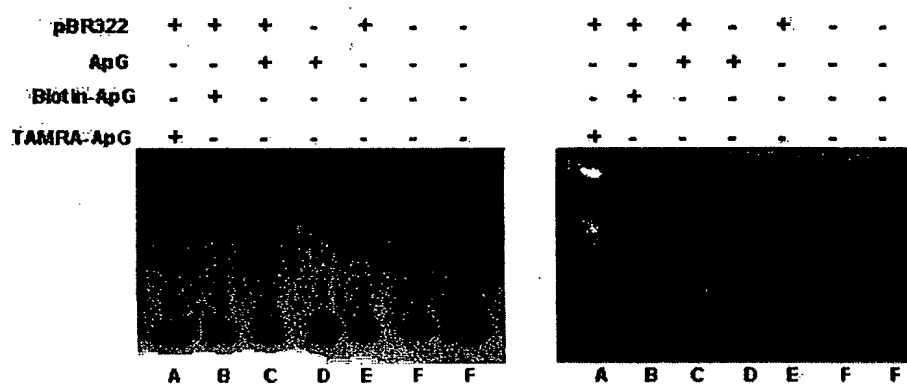


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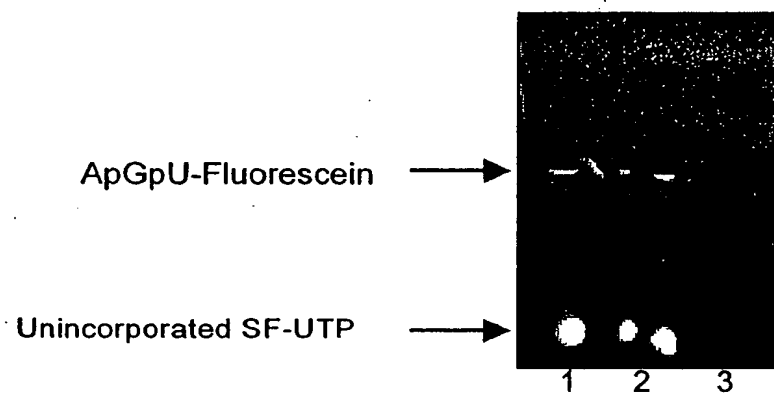


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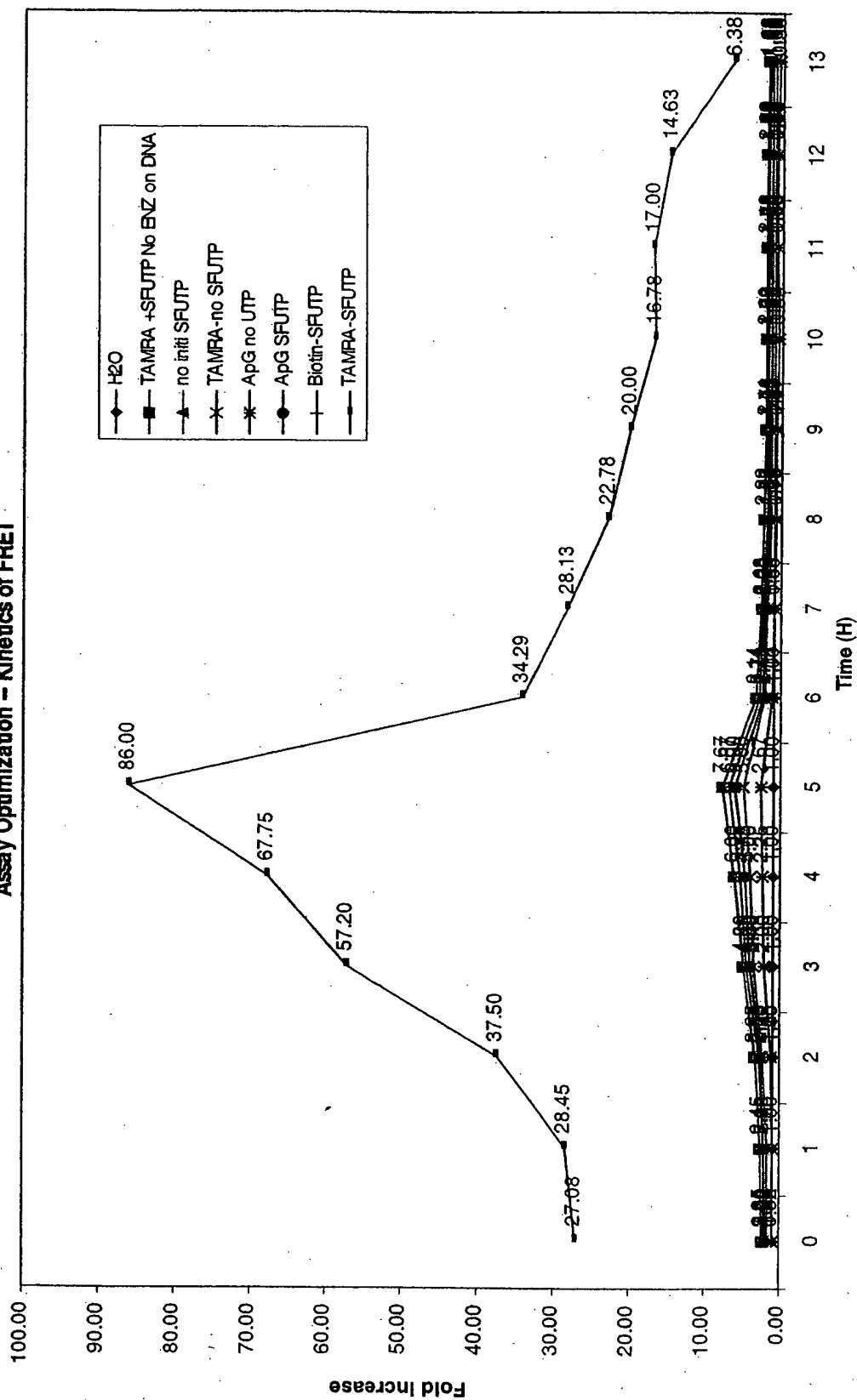


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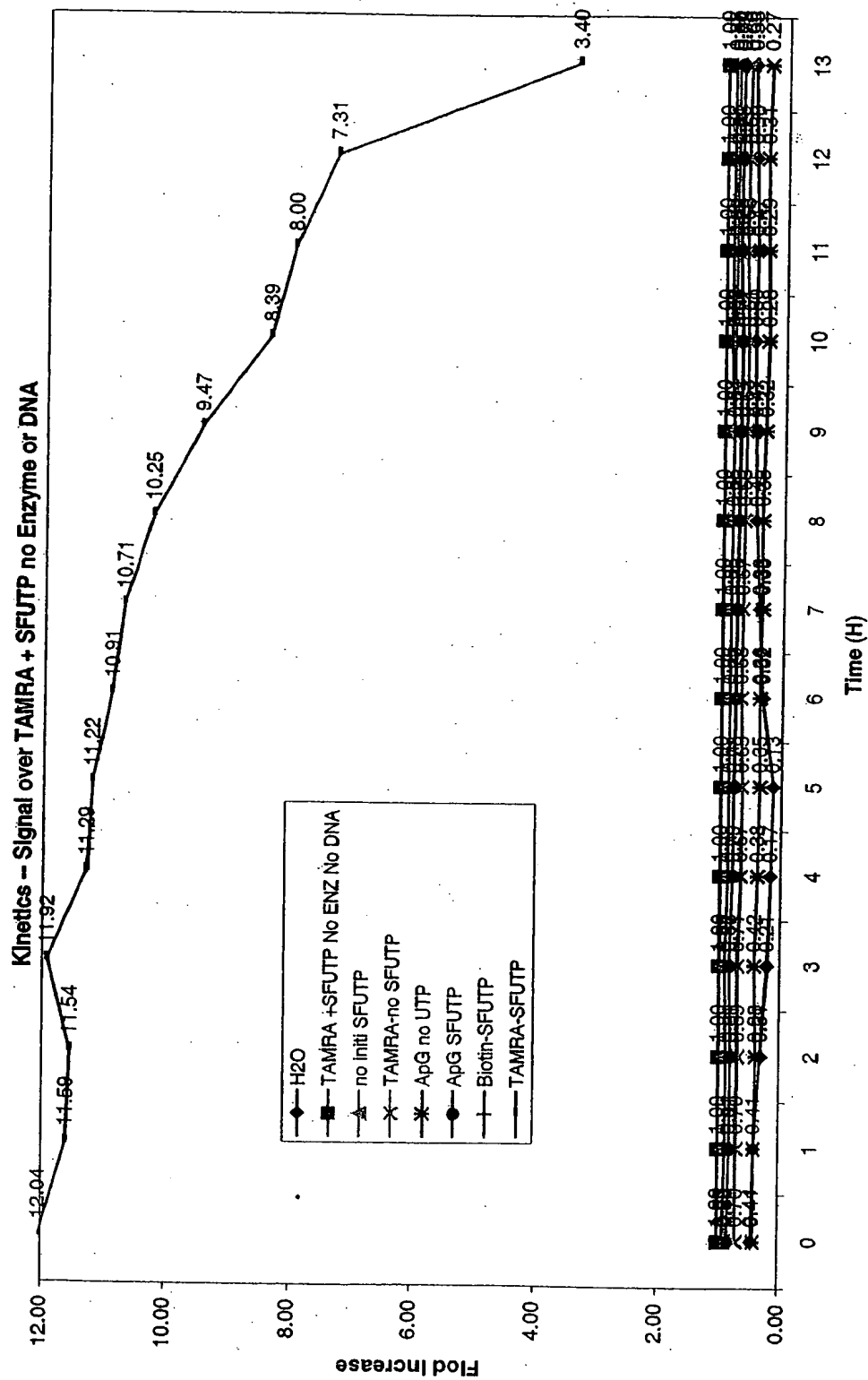


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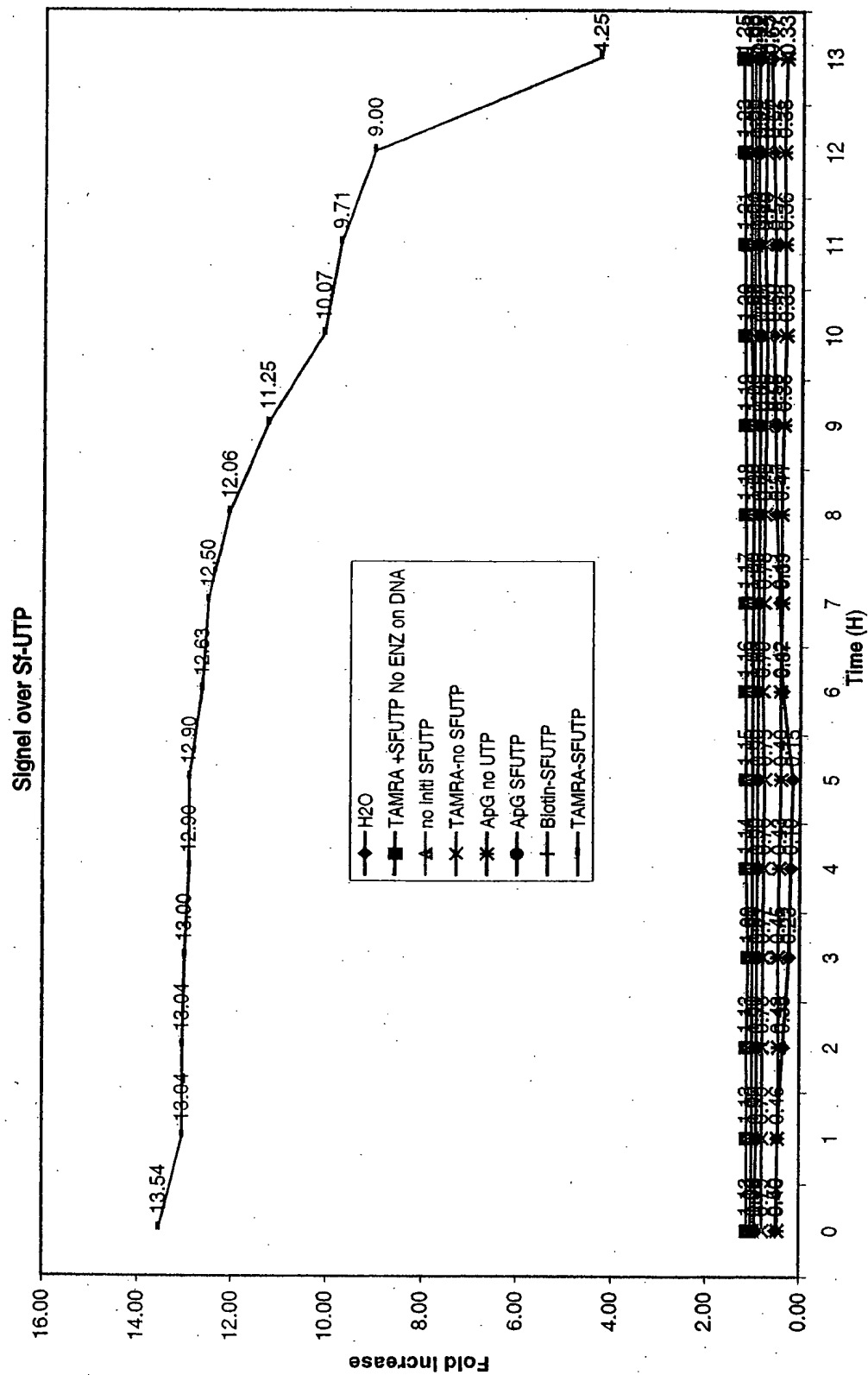


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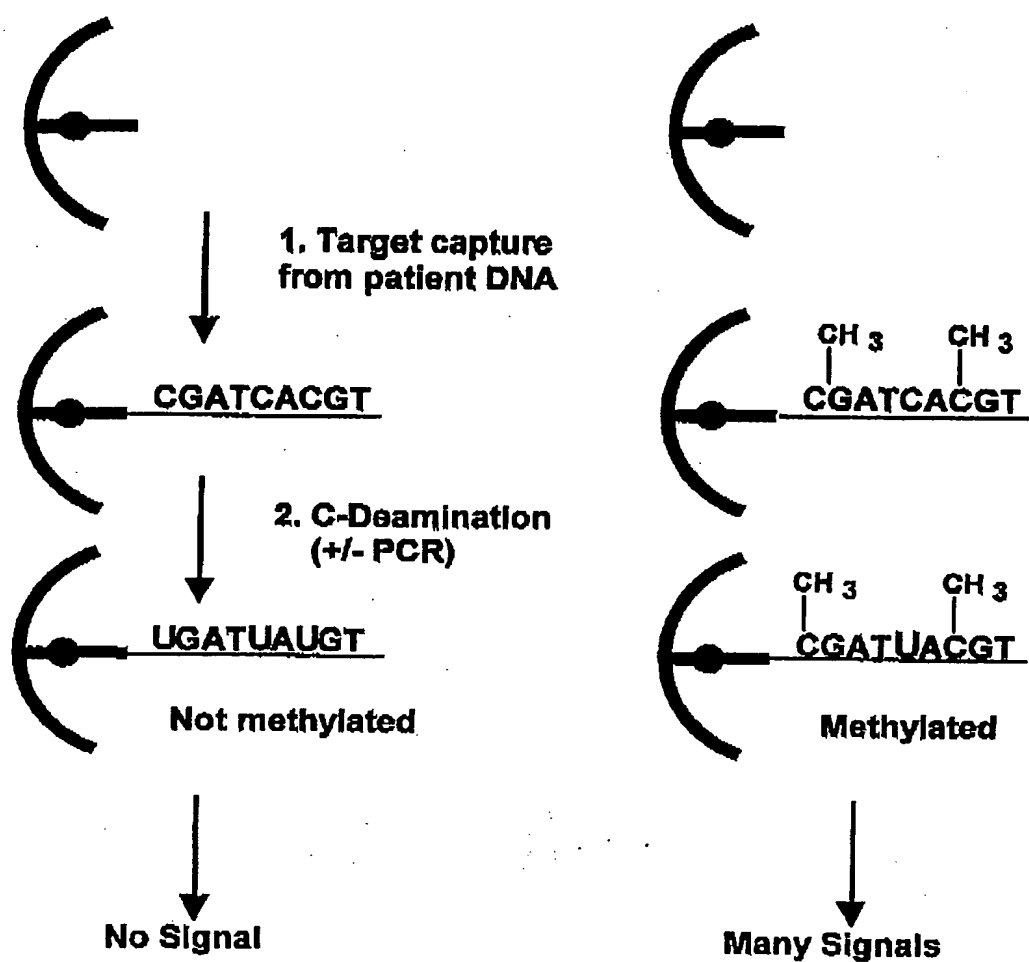


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